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Letter dated 27 December 2012 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to refer to Security Council resolution 2083 (2012), in which the Council decided to extend the mandate of the Office of the Ombudsperson, established by resolution 1904 (2009), as reflected in the procedures outlined in annex II of resolution 2083 (2012), for a period of 30 months. In the same resolution, the Council requested me to strengthen the capacity of the Office of the Ombudsperson to ensure its continued ability to carry out its mandate in an effective and timely manner.

Accordingly, I wish to inform you that I have reappointed Ms. Kimberly Prost (Canada) to serve as Ombudsperson.

I should be grateful if you could bring this information to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) **BAN** Ki-moon

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